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        structural analysis of mutational effects. [Retraction of document cited
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AU      Murthy, H. M. Krishna; Clum, S.; Padmanabhan, R.
CS      Fels Institute, Temple University, Philadelphia, PA, 19140, USA
SO      Journal of Biological Chemistry (2009), 284(49), 34468
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AU      Murthy, H. M. Krishna; Clum, S.; Padmanabhan, R.
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SO      Journal of Biological Chemistry (1999), 274(9), 5573-5580
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AB      The mosquito-borne dengue viruses are widespread human pathogens causing
        dengue fever, dengue hemorrhagic fever, and dengue shock syndrome, placing
        40% of the world's population at risk with no effective treatment. The
        viral genome is a pos. strand RNA that encodes a single polyprotein
        precursor. Processing of the polyprotein precursor into mature proteins
        is carried out by the host signal peptidase and by NS3 serine protease,
        which requires NS2B as a cofactor. We report here the crystal structure
        of the NS3 serine protease domain at 2.1 A resolution This structure of the
        protease combined with modeling of peptide substrates into the active site
        suggests identities of residues involved in substrate recognition as well
        as providing a structural basis for several mutational effects on enzyme
        activity. This structure will be useful for development of specific
        inhibitors as therapeutics against dengue and other flaviviral proteases.

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TI Enzymatic Activity of the Staphylococcus aureus SplB Serine Protease is
 Induced by Substrates Containing the Sequence Trp-Glu-Leu-Gln
AU Dubin, Grzegorz; Stec-Niemczyk, Justyna; Kisielewska, Magdalena; Pustelny,
 Katarzyna; Popowicz, Grzegorz M.; Bista, Michal; Kantyka, Tomasz;
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 Mullika; Daugherty, Patrick S.; Thogersen, Ida B.; Enghild, Jan J.;
 Thornberry, Nancy; Dubin, Adam; Potempa, Jan
CS Department of Microbiology, Faculty of Biochemistry, Biophysics and
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 Pol.
SO Journal of Molecular Biology (2008), 379(2), 343-356
 CODEN: JMOBAK; ISSN: 0022-2836
PB Elsevier Ltd.
DT Journal
LA English
AB Proteases are of significant importance for the virulence of
 Staphylococcus aureus. Nevertheless, their subset, the serine
 protease-like proteins, remains poorly characterized. Here presented is
 an investigation of SplB protease catalytic activity revealing that the
 enzyme possesses exquisite specificity and only cleaves efficiently after
 the sequence Trp-Glu-Leu-Gln. To understand the mol. basis for such
 selectivity, we solved the three-dimensional structure of SplB to 1.8
 Å. Modeling of substrate binding to the protease demonstrated
 that selectivity relies in part on a canonical specificity pockets-based
 mechanism. Significantly, the conformation of residues that ordinarily
 form the oxyanion hole, an essential structural element of the catalytic
 machinery of serine proteases, is not canonical in the SplB structure. We

postulate that within SplB, the oxyanion hole is only formed upon docking of a substrate containing the consensus sequence motif. It is suggested that this unusual activation mechanism is used in parallel with classical determinants to further limit enzyme specificity. Finally, to guide future development, we attempt to point at likely physiol. substrates and thus the role of SplB in staphylococcal physiol.

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AN 2007031116 MEDLINE
DN PubMed ID: 17210913
TI The crystal structure of the rhomboid peptidase from Haemophilus influenzae provides insight into intramembrane proteolysis.
AU Lemieux M Joanne; Fischer Sarah J; Cherney Maia M; Bateman Katherine S; James Michael N G
CS Group in Protein Structure and Function, Department of Biochemistry, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, Canada T6G 2H7.
SO Proceedings of the National Academy of Sciences of the United States of America, (2007 Jan 16) Vol. 104, No. 3, pp. 750-4. Electronic Publication: 2007-01-08.
Journal code: 7505876. ISSN: 0027-8424. L-ISSN: 0027-8424.
Report No.: NLM-PMC1783385.

CY United States
DT Journal; Article; (JOURNAL ARTICLE)
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AB Rhomboid peptidases are members of a family of regulated intramembrane peptidases that cleave the transmembrane segments of integral membrane proteins. Rhomboid peptidases have been shown to play a major role in developmental processes in Drosophila and in mitochondrial maintenance in yeast. Most recently, the function of rhomboid peptidases has been directly linked to apoptosis. We have solved the structure of the rhomboid peptidase from Haemophilus influenzae (hiGlpG) to 2.2-A resolution. The phasing for the crystals of hiGlpG was provided mainly by molecular replacement, by using the coordinates of the Escherichia coli rhomboid (ecGlpG). The structural results on these rhomboid peptidases have allowed us to speculate on the catalytic mechanism of substrate cleavage in a membranous environment. We have identified the relative disposition of the nucleophilic serine to the general base/acid function of the conserved histidine. Modeling a tetrapeptide substrate in the context of the rhomboid structure reveals an oxyanion hole comprising the side chain of a second conserved histidine and the main-chain NH of the nucleophilic serine residue. In both hiGlpG and ecGlpG structures, a water molecule occupies this oxyanion hole.

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AN 2006:397830 HCAPLUS
DN 145:39879

TI Substrate envelope and drug resistance: crystal structure of RO1 in
 complex with wild-type human immunodeficiency virus type 1 protease
 AU Prabu-Jeyabalan, Moses; King, Nancy M.; Nalivaika, Ellen A.;
 Heilek-Snyder, Gabrielle; Cammack, Nick; Schiffer, Celia A.
 CS Department of Biochemistry & Molecular
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 Massachusetts Medical School, Worcester, MA, 01605, USA
 SO Antimicrobial Agents and Chemotherapy (2006), 50(4), 1518-1521
 CODEN: AMACCQ; ISSN: 0066-4804
 PB American Society for Microbiology
 DT Journal
 LA English
 AB In our previous crystallog. studies of human immunodeficiency virus type 1
 (HIV-1) protease-substrate complexes, the authors described a conserved
 "envelope" that appears to be important for substrate recognition and the
 selection of drug-resistant mutations. In this study, the complex of
 HIV-1 protease with the inhibitor RO1 was determined and comparison with the
 substrate envelope provides a rationale for mutational patterns.
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 DN 143:55635
 TI Cloning, sequence and mutagenesis of Asp serine proteinase from
 Cellulomonas and use of variant Asp in detergents, feed and textile
 processing
 IN Jones, Brian Edward; Kolkman, Marc; Leeftang, Chris; Oh, Hiroshi; Poulouse,
 Ayrookaran J.; Sadlowski, Eugene S.; Shaw, Andrew; Van der Kleij,
 Wilhelmus A. H.; Van Marrewijk, Leo
 PA Genencor International, Inc., USA; The Procter
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 SO PCT Int. Appl., 356 pp.
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AB The present invention provides novel serine proteases, novel genetic material encoding these enzymes, and proteolytic proteins obtained from Micrococcineae spp., including but not limited to Cellulomonas spp. and variant proteins developed therefrom. In particular, the present invention provides serine protease compns. obtained from a Cellulomonas spp., DNA encoding the serine protease, vectors comprising the DNA encoding the serine protease, host cells transformed with the vector DNA, and an enzyme produced by the host cells. The nucleotide sequence of the gene asp and the encoded amino acid sequence of the Asp serine protease from Cellulomonas strain 69B4 are disclosed. The crystal structure and the atomic coordinates of the Asp serine protease from Cellulomonas 69B4 are provided. The nucleotide sequences and the encoded amino acid sequences of homologous serine proteases from Cellulomonas spp. and related microorganisms are also provided. The present invention also provides cleaning compns. (e.g., detergent compns.), animal feed compns., and textile and leather processing compns. comprising protease(s) obtained from a Micrococcineae spp., including but not limited to Cellulomonas spp. In alternative embodiments, the present invention provides mutant (i.e., variant) proteases derived from the wild-type proteases described herein. These mutant proteases also find use in numerous applications.

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AN 2006:523285 HCAPLUS

DN 144:463170

TI Design of wide-spectrum inhibitors targeting Coronavirus main proteases.
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AU Yang, Haitao; Xie, Weiqing; Xue, Xiaoyu; Yang, Kailin; Ma, Jing; Liang, Wenxue; Qi, Zzhao; Zhou, Zhe; Pei, Duanqing; Ziebuhr, John; Hilgenfeld, Rolf; Yuen, Kwok Yung; Wong, Luet; Gao, Guangxia; Chen, Saijuan; Chen, Zhu; Ma, Dawei; Bartlam, Mark; Rao, Zihe

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SO PLoS Biology (2005), 3(11), 2044

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SO PLoS Biology (2005), 3(10), 1742-1752
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AB The genus Coronavirus contains about 25 species of coronaviruses (CoVs), which are important pathogens causing highly prevalent diseases and often severe or fatal in humans and animals. No licensed specific drugs are available to prevent their infection. Different host receptors for cellular entry, poorly conserved structural proteins (antigens), and the high mutation and recombination rates of CoVs pose a significant problem in the development of wide-spectrum anti-CoV drugs and vaccines. CoV main proteases (Mpros), which are key enzymes in viral gene expression and replication, were revealed to share a highly conservative substrate-recognition pocket by comparison of four crystal structures and a homol. model representing all three genetic clusters of the genus Coronavirus. This conclusion was further supported by enzyme activity assays. Mechanism-based irreversible inhibitors were designed, based on this conserved structural region, and a uniform inhibition mechanism was elucidated from the structures of Mpro-inhibitor complexes from severe acute respiratory syndrome-CoV and porcine transmissible gastroenteritis virus. A structure-assisted optimization program has yielded compds. with fast in vitro inactivation of multiple CoV Mpros, potent antiviral activity, and extremely low cellular toxicity in cell-based assays. Further modification could rapidly lead to the discovery of a single agent with clin. potential against existing and possible future emerging CoV-related diseases.

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AU Murthy, H. M. Krishna [Reprint author]; Clum, S.; Padmanabhan, R.

CS CMC, Univ. Alabama Birmingham, 79-THT, MCLM-248, 1918 University Blvd., Birmingham, AL 35294-0005, USA

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AN 1999:714506 HCAPLUS

DN 132:10359

TI The structure of the 2A proteinase from a common cold virus: a proteinase responsible for the shut-off of host-cell protein synthesis

AU Petersen, Jens F. W.; Cherney, Maia M.; Liebig, Hans-Dieter; Skern, Tim; Kuechler, Ernst; James, Michael N. G.

CS MRC Group in Protein Structure and Function, Department of Biochemistry, University of Alberta, Edmonton, AB, T6G 2H7, Can.

SO EMBO Journal (1999), 18(20), 5463-5475

CODEN: EMJODG; ISSN: 0261-4189

PB Oxford University Press

DT Journal

LA English

AB The crystal structure of 2A proteinase (picornain 2A; EC 3.4.22.29) from human rhinovirus serotype 2 (HRV2-2Apro) was solved to 1.95 Å resolution. The structure had an unusual, although chymotrypsin-related, fold comprising a unique 4-stranded β -sheet as the N-terminal domain and a 6-stranded β -barrel as the C-terminal domain. A tightly bound Zn(II) ion, essential for the stability of HRV2-2Apro, was tetrahedrally coordinated by 3 Cys S atoms and 1 His N atom. The active site consisted of a catalytic triad formed by His-18, Asp-35 and Cys-106. Asp-35 was addnl. involved in an extensive H-bonding network. Modeling studies revealed a substrate-induced fit that explained the specificity of subsites S4, S2, S1, and S1'. The structure of HRV2-2Apro suggested the mechanism of the cis cleavage and its release from the polyprotein.

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TI A RANGE OF CATALYTIC EFFICIENCIES WITH AVIAN RETROVIRAL PROTEASE SUBUNITS GENETICALLY LINKED TO FORM SINGLE POLYPEPTIDE CHAINS.

AU BIZUB D [Reprint author]; WEBER I T; CAMERON C E; LEIS J P; SKALKA A M

CS FOX CHASE CANCER CENT, INST CANCER RES, 7701 BURKHOLME AVE, PHILADELPHIA, PA 19111, USA

SO Journal of Biological Chemistry, (1991) Vol. 266, No. 8, pp. 4951-4958.

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AB Molecular modeling based on the crystal structure of the Rous sarcoma virus (RSV) protease dimer has been used to link the two identical subunits of this enzyme into a functional, single polypeptide chain resembling the nonviral aspartic protease. Six different linkages were

selected to test the importance of different interactions between the amino acids at the amino and carboxyl termini of the two subunits. These linkages were introduced into molecular clones of fused protease genes and the linked protease dimers were expressed in *Escherichia coli* and purified. Catalytically active proteins were obtained from the inclusion body fraction after renaturation. The linked protease dimers exhibited a 10-20-fold range in catalytic efficiencies (V_{max}/K_m) on peptide substrates. Both flexibility and ionic interactions in the linkage region affect catalytic efficiency. Some of the linked protease dimers were 2-3-fold more active than the nonlinked enzyme purified from bacteria, although substrate specificities were unchanged. Similar relative efficiencies were observed using a polyprotein precursor as substrate. Mutation of one catalytic Asp in the most active linked protease dimer inactivated the enzyme, demonstrating that these proteins function as single polypeptide chains rather than as multimers.

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